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**Subject:** Mirant Plant

As an Alexandria resident and person active in the community, I support the closing of the Mirant Plant due to its failure to meet certain ambient air quality standards and its negative effect on health of residents of Alexandria and nearby jurisdictions.

My wife is afflicted with asthma, and her quality of life is adversely affected by the presence of the plant in the City. I work ten blocks from the plant and we live about 2 miles from the plant. Changing the stack height will not help with her condition but actually may harm her further by spreading air pollution to a wider area within Alexandria and beyond.

Accede to the City's position and take steps leading to closing of the plant.

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